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IN OUR NEW STYLES SPRING OVERCOATS



We call special attention to a large assortment of All-Wool Meltons and Diagonals in Dark and Fancy Mixtures, Light Gray and Drab Colors at \$10. Very Stylish Meltons and Diagonals, Silk Facings, at \$15. New Colors and Shades in Corkscrews at \$20.

The Golden Eagle

SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTH AND PINE,

D. C. YOUNG, Manager

LATEST EDITION.

"HOW ABOUT OHIO?"

The Question Put to a Buckeye Politician.

He is a Friend of Pendleton, Who, He Says, Got His Finishing Dose From Bookwalter—Tilden Isn't to Be Thought of.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Colonel C. W. Woods of the 10th Cavalry, a close friend of Pendleton's, is in the contest for the governorship last winter and 6 years ago, said to a reporter at the St. James' Hotel last night: "Pendleton got his finishing dose from Bookwalter. Why I can remember when Pendleton came to me and called me an egotist, because I wouldn't support Bookwalter. He said to me: 'You set yourself up as better than the party; you should let the party decide for you.' He got nominated by Bookwalter, and he was against Pendleton, and he tendered his services to Bookwalter and the committee, and then Garfield died and there was no speaking, and Bookwalter was defeated, and now he turns round and states Pendleton. Pendleton made a mistake in his civil service bill. I couldn't agree with its terms. I would have had it provide, first of all, for an examination of every man in office to let us know what he was worth, but he was unfit for service, but he was only doing what two national conventions and two national committees did for him. He was doing his constituents a part that will direct its public servants to do a thing which his daughters for doing will never come into power."

"How about Ohio?"
"Mr. Payne can't carry it; you may set that down. If he and Mr. Sherman are the nominal leaders, I will vote for Tilden, he is our man."

I SHALL GO FISHING, but I will bet on \$5,000 majority for Sherman, and I think it will reach \$6,000 or \$7,000. I want a man with a constituency. That is Democracy. We want a man who is popular, not merely for a pocket-book. McDonald cooked his goose when he got Carlisle elected. Sherman is a man who has a capacity of 2,400 men, and the boat, which has a capacity of 2,400 men, six 2½-inch hoses were stretched for a distance of 50 feet, being the complement for one immense 6-inch hose by means of a six-way connection. The 6-inch hose, 100 feet long, was easily drawn into three streams through 2½-inch hose for a distance of 50 feet, and then through a three-way connection into three streams by a two-way connection, and finally into a single stream, which was carried in a hose of 2½ inches, which extended up the ladder 2,700 feet. At this point, about three-quarters of a mile from the tug, the stream of water was cut off.

A HUGE PORTABLE TANK.

The tank, which is constructed of sheet metal, is 16 feet long, 1 foot deep and 6 feet wide, and is capable of holding 400 gallons of water. It is about the shape and size of one of the large furniture vans, painted light green, and is easily drawn by two horses. Leaving from the tug, the tank was hauled over the deck of the boat, and is intended that four engines should be supplied to haul the tank, and it is intended that these four engines should be supplied to haul the tank, and the command of Chief Mate, Reilly, Gorderon and Fisher, were stationed alongside the tug, and the tug was to draw the tank to the fresh water to the boilers of the engines. The connections having been made with the tank, the tug was to proceed to Port Morris, a point 5,000 feet from the tug and at an elevation of 45 feet above the water level, and the tug was to pull the tank through the water to the port of Arthur, who was in Cincinnati but did himself the greatest injury. He promised to attend the trial meeting of the American Homeopathic Convention, two hours later to decline and meanwhile a bolt was organized. This declination made every one of the two men who witnessed his fall realize that he was really elect. It is felt that his defeat was deserved by Pendleton. Thus was one-fourth of the vote of the Democratic caucus lost by our own action.

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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

OLYMPIC—Rose Eyring: "Rose Michel."
GRAND—Anna Pixley: "Mills."
POPE'S—"In the Banks."
PEOPLES—"Sheila."
STANDARD—L. Davis: "Alvin Joslyn."
EDWARD'S—THEATRE COMIQUE—Variety Club.
EIGHTH ST. DIME MUSEUM—1 m. to 10 p. m.
NATATORIUM—Nineteenth and Pine: Roller Skating.

MATINEES TO-DAY.

OLYMPIC—Rose Eyring: "Lady Astray."

POPE'S—"In the Banks."

PEOPLES—"Shiel Agar."

STANDARD—"Alvin Joslyn."

OUR CIRCULATION.

The regular bona-fide circulation of the Post-Dispatch for the seven publication days ending February 23 was as follows:

February 16.....	30,490
February 18.....	30,740
February 20.....	30,840
February 22.....	29,370
February 21.....	29,650
February 23.....	30,900
February 24.....	31,350

Average per day..... 30,105

I.G. KAPPNER,
Business Manager.

D.W. WOODS, Cashier.

Seems to be subscribed before me this 23d day of February, 1884. My commission expires April 17, 1887.

BENJ. A. SUPPAN,
Notary Public.

They called it the Morrison bill, but after Congress gets through with it, its own father will not know it.

The world moves. Senator SHERMAN has introduced a bill providing that no one shall steal news within eight hours after it is published.

The New York Tribune is making a collection of political "straws." They show which way the editor blows. They are picked straws.

Some of our Congressmen are talking about a law forbidding the exportation of explosives. This step would stop Congressman OCHILTRETT's projected European summer trip.

We have not yet heard any good reason urged why St. Louis should not be allowed to try a cable road. A cable road is an improvement and St. Louis can well afford to stand a few improvements.

The old gas companies declare that they cannot do a cent better. We think they can. A little gentle persuasion ought to be tried; say a permission to the Water Gas men to invade the Lacled territory.

There is alarm in the ranks of the press pirates. Congress proposes to apply the principles of the dialogue to property in news, and as this is an honest country, the chances are that the injunction, "thou shalt not steal" will soon spoil the press pirate business.

From the seclusion of his unknown retreat Mr. TILLER now regrets that he did not, in addition to robbing the express company, shoot some one and be a "bandit." He would then have had a good chance to be pardoned, and the Governor would have protected him from persecution by the officers of the law.

The Republican party is threatened with another outbreak of its old color of party reformers. CARL SCHURZ, GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS, WAYNE MCNAUL, et al. They have performed so often that their old quadrille stage tricks have grown familiar and tiresome, no longer amusing the public mind with dazzling illusions. After drawing pictures of the ideal King Hamlet who must be nominated to secure their support, they have always shown themselves as ready as the greatest politicians to take the stump for any scavenger who would fling them a share of the garbage. There has yet been no indication that this mutual admiration society of self-styled reformers is made of sterner or purer stuff than the ordinary political machine.

Commenting on the funeral oration that was dumped into the Congressional Record in commemoration of the late Mr. HASKELL of Kansas, the New York Sun says: "We make no comment upon the oration of Mr. BURNES of Missouri, who ventured to depict Mr. HASKELL as 'already seated in a higher Congress than this, over which Jesus, our Savior, in love and mercy unceasingly presides.'" The Sun's irreverent vein is probably overawed by a suspicion that Mr. BURNES is one of the most tearful exhorters in the religious revivals of the St. Jo district, and that it would be blasphemous to comment on his report of the situation around the White Throne. We may remark that

Mr. BURNES has not yet given all that he

has to the poor, but the voters of his district evidently expect him to do it some of these cold days.

OUR FRIENDS ABROAD.

During the past few weeks the people of the United States, who have no sentiments but those of friendship for all the world, have had two conspicuous illustrations of the way in which their sentiments are reciprocated.

Our Congress thought it was doing the proper thing in passing a resolution of respect to an illustrious German who had died while on a visit to this country. The German Government, instead of receiving the compliment in the spirit in which it was offered, made it the occasion for an insult so contemptible that our people fall to understand what motive could prompt it.

England, which has made a conspicuous failure of her government of Ireland; which has tried penal laws, evictions, constabulary, suspicion acts, and every form of tyranny in vain, has discovered a grudge against us. England, which protected the Ordnance bomb-makers and launched the Alabama, England, which is unable to detect or punish dynamiters after they have done their work, has the monstrous insolence to take up to task for not preventing the whole manufacture of dynamite in order that England's work of repression might go on more surely.

We, who have no feelings save those of friendship for all the world, are amazed at the impudence and insolence of such acts. We do not understand it at all. We have never thought of treating a friendly neighbor in that way, and are at a loss to know whether we ought to resent the insults, or to let them pass unnoticed.

We can afford to disregard them because we are separated by thousands of miles of ocean from the offenders. The truth of the matter is that the nations of Europe do not know what peace is. They live in a state of armed neutrality. They are ready to fly at each other at a moment's notice, and they are so much in the habit of quarreling with each other that they only act on instinct when they quarrel with us.

The lesson ought to teach us, however, that we owe nothing to Europe and have no friendship to count on there. When diplomats and dandies indulge in eloquent tributes to international friendship we ought to know just what it means, and the remembrance of these little incidents will enable us to appreciate such sentiments at their true value. We have been severely snubbed, and as the sub in one case comes from a nation which we have recently been inclined to toady we shall not regret it, if it teaches Americans a little lesson of patriotism much needed.

AN IMPORTANT STRUGGLE.

The exigency under which Gov. STONEMAN has called an extra session of the California Legislature is an extraordinary one. After trampling on the constitution and laws of California, and refusing to pay State and county taxes for years, the Central Pacific at last obtained one of those remarkable decisions for which Mr. Justice FIELD of the United States Supreme Court has long been noted in his circuit as well as on the Supreme Bench. According to him neither States nor counties nor the general public have any rights which a railroad corporation is bound to respect, and he held that the Fourteenth Amendment annuls all local laws taxing railroad property otherwise than as the property of individuals is taxed. Tax discrimination as to use, and other discriminations which are universal and almost unavoidable in taxation, he declared to be equivalent to a denial of the equal protection of the laws.

Mr. TILDEN has once been elected President, and the Democratic party would be proud of the opportunity to elect him again. Nothing but his infirm health and his own wishes prevent the able Democratic statesman and earnest practical reformer from need the show of a nomination if he could command it. He is in a position to accept battle. It is not in a humor for sham fights or dress parades!

The Kansas Election.

From the Kansas City Star (Post-Trade).

Another election is to be held at Fremont on Saturday. However, we are still firm in our convictions that the people of Kansas, if they fully realized the practical operations of the protective system, would be overwhelmingly against it. It could not be otherwise. The trouble is that they are tied so closely to the chain of partisan prejudices that they cannot yet weigh a question of this kind upon its merits, regardless of their old political affiliations. They are Republicans (or Democrats) or Democrats (or Republicans) and cannot see that the negro character in all its phases, having always lived among them, is not prepared to tell them what to do. In fact, they are tied together as though they were to their master.

Brother DANA has been devoting much of his valuable time and force to the work of impressing upon the Democracy the importance of acting with directness and courage in the National Convention. Persistently he told us that there must be no tampering with the tariff question and no dodging.

Imagine Samuel J. Tilden, the great, serious statesman, waiting for the nomination of the president of the United States to tell the story of the artist's young passion for Sam Bernhard.

Mr. LEWIS GRIFFIN, being called an American socialist, unshaved and one honest homely, is now going to attack our political institutions and undertake to show that we have no standards.

MR. BRIGHT has written another letter to the paper in which he disclaims all sympathy with doctrinaires of the stamp of Henry George and others who are seeking to abolish all property in land.

A WELL-KNOWN Russian dramatic author named Ostrofsky has just received, at the hands of the "block" system of the Pennsylvania Central train, and not starting No. 2 until a telegram had brought the information that No. 1 was off the way.

JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY, on being invited to deliver a poem on Wendell Phillips at the municipal memorial services in Boston, declined on the ground that he had written a poem on Phillips that he did not think equal to it.

MR. RUTHERFORD B. HAYES is now varying his duties as a lawyer at Fremont with the protection of fancy chickens. It is said that he has gathered about him some fine specimens of the barnyard fowl, and is taking great satisfaction as a chicken fancier.

FREDERICK HARRISON, the Positivist, has an article in the Nineteenth Century on "The God of Religion." He declares that agnosticism is not a religion, and that to introduce Positivism with sermons and hymns is sheer nonsense.

COL. H. E. DEARDELEEN, the Alabama iron master, has entered into a contract with the Phillips & Buttress Manufacturing Company of Nashville, Tenn., and Elyton, Ala., to furnish them with iron castings.

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MR. MUNIZ, M. F., who saw the new Speaker of the British House of Commons, Arthur Wellesley, feel, insulted into the Speaker's chair, when congratulating him, reminded him that (Mr. Muniz) had witnessed another interesting ceremony when the Speaker was christened, fifty years ago.

A Case For Sherman.

From the New York Sun.

The attention of the Hon. John Sherman should be called to a dangerous conspiracy which has been formed for the purpose of intimidating the voters of Belmont, N. Y., and Ionia, Ohio, to vote for Mr. TILDEN.

The women of Belmont, N. Y., and Ionia, Ohio, have formed a women's league and covenant for the purpose of securing the success of the temperance ticket in the village election next Tuesday. They mean to watch every voter, and see to it that the man who opposes the temperance ticket, Mr. TILDEN, is not elected.

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LODGE NOTICES.

WEST GATE LODGE, No. 56, K. & L. of H., will hold their regular session of meetings, February 22, 1884, at their new hall, 11 w. corner of 11th and Olive st., at 8 p.m. All members required to be present. Order of Protection. **JAMES A. STIGGES**, Ex-M. MITCHELL, Secretary.

WEST GATE LODGE, No. 56, K. & L. of H., will hold their regular session of meetings, Thursday evening, March 8, at their new hall, 11 w. corner of 11th and Olive st., at 8 p.m. All members required to be present. The officers of the Grand Lodge will visit this lodge on March 11. All members required to be present. Members are invited to attend. **JAMES A. STIGGES**, Ex-M. MITCHELL, Secretary.

HOSPITAL COMMANDERY, No. 4, Order of the Red Cross, will meet at their assembly, Thursday evening, March 8, at their new hall, 11 w. corner of 11th and Olive st., at 8 o'clock; all pilgrims will receive the honors; all meetings in regular standing. **D. H. RITTER**, Secretary.

AMERICAN LEGION, No. 200, is requested to attend. **ED. WILLECK**, Commander.

COURT ST. LOUIS, No. 874, A. O. F., meets every Saturday evening at Franklin av. and 26th st., at 8 p.m. The next session will be open and free to all. **J. P. ROBERTSON**, S. T. D. Bishop, Secretary.

COURT EDWIN FOREST, No. 458, A. O. F., meets every Saturday evening at Franklin av. and 26th st., at 8 p.m. All members are cordially invited. **A. C. PORTER**, C. E. J. G. LUMHOLZ, Secretary.

SOCIETY NOTICES.

THE St. Louis Suffrage Association will meet to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, at Pickwick Theater. Public invited. A fine programme is promised. Mrs. Merriweather will speak. An application for debate will be received. **MRS. INGALLS**, Secretary.

DANCING.

ALBANY DANCING ACADEMY, Prof. A. Shank will teach the Polonaise Quadrille and Le Valzer.

NEW TERM OF M. FRANKEL'S Dancing Academy opens at Drude's Hall 5th and Market st., Wednesdays evenings and Thursdays evenings, and every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon at 8 p.m. Instructions will be given in the following subjects: 1. Instructions every Tuesday and Friday evening at Teutonia Hall, every Wednesday and Saturday evening, 10th and Beale.

THEO. EAGLE, Fourth and Pine.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

TONEST—Shoemaker of the world. Keeps a large stock of leather, etc. **W. E. BURKE**, Jr., N. Sixth st., opposite Barr's.

LADIES—Will find the best fitting and wearing button down in the city. **MRS. LAURA DE KNEVETT**—Spiritualist, medium, natural clairvoyant, and guide for business, **CHARLES**.

ARMY—Cleaned, coated and varnished. **R. S. LANTON**, Indian fortune teller, 100 N. 12th st., **DR. R. L. HARRIS**, dentist and physician.

MRS. WILLIS—Trustee Fortune Teller; can bring up past, present and future. **W. B. WILSON**, between Franklin and Wash st., **DR. R. L. HARRIS**, dentist and physician.

SILVERWARE, 30 per cent. less than general prices. **THEO. EAGLE, Fourth and Pine.**

COAL MARKET—Mrs. Brown, and Sell, **DR. R. L. HARRIS**, dentist and physician.

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FOH RECEIVED—Large stock of new and second-hand furniture and household goods will be sold, very cheap for cash or on time payment; mattresses and bedsteads renovated at low rates. **DR. R. L. HARRIS**, dentist and physician.

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Good notion and furnish. Established trade with customers. A No. 1 office.

Good dry goods salesman.

A very beat rest. \$8.

Are clerks; speaks and writes; not afraid of work.

Drug clerk, wholesale or retail. No. 1 office. Well established trade in this office. All day work. Shipping clerk; good office. Adt. one year's experience.

Young man, with 10 years' experience, this office. Paid.

Man well posted in the city for a short time. For a young man (German) wholesale drug business, etc. Adt. one year's experience.

Young man who has had Charles, P. O. Box 200.

Businessman can give references. Will come for board.

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CHEAP RAILWAY TICKETS FOR ALL POINTS.
J. W. Stockbridge, Ticket Broker,
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Excessive Tickets bought and exchanged.

CITY NEWS.

The justly famed "Anderson" and Belmont sour mash whiskies and all other liquors in quantities to suit, at lowest prices, delivered free by James Lupte & Co., 334 and 335 Olive street.

Lotta, the fairy sprite uses Foxzon's Medicated Face Powder. All druggists.

Dr. M. C. Chase,
222 Olive street. Set of teeth \$2.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated, and medine furnished. Dr. Dunbar, 614 Pine street.

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Old Dr. Whittier, a regular graduate, 617 St. Charles street, as for twenty-five years, may be found from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., where remarkable cures may be had of blood diseases, impediments to marriage, etc., all diseases of indiscretion, excesses, iniquities. Safe medicines; consultation free. "Health, Beauty, Longevity," 25¢ pages sent, sealed, 50 cents, or at offices.

THE CANADIAN TRAGEDY.

Coroner's Inquest Working Hard With No Result—East St. Louis News.

Nothing of importance has developed since yesterday in connection with the maniacal murder found Saturday near Cahokia. Coroner Baker devoted the entire day to the scenes of the crime, and has concluded that the hands and feet were not burned in that locality. Deputy Sheriff Anthony searched the premises of aaged negro Brown last evening in hopes of finding some evidence which would connect him with the murder, but was unable to secure any evidence to justify the arrest of Mr. Brown. The results of his investigation were that the killing was committed by some one in their village, and are desirous of having search made for the murderer. Other details will be given in the next issue.

Mike Brazil was fined \$5 and costs last evening for drawing a revolver at a saloon keeper at the Relay Depot Monday night.

The morning trains due at the Relay Depot this morning were from one to five hours behind time.

John J. Donahue, 1110 Locust street, was thrown from his wagon near the bridge approach this morning and fractured his arm so severely that it will require an operation.

A large crowd gathered at a bridge engine and a way.

W. H. Morris resigned his position on the Police force to accept a more lucrative situation.

Horace Eggers, a police justice, resigned at the edge of an ax-murder evening and severely cut his face.

John J. Donahue, saloon-keeper to the Willows, who gained considerable notoriety by his refusal to pay his season license, was indicted by the Grand Jury yesterday for selling liquor without a license.

Mother Swan's Worm Syrup, tasteless, effective.

CITY NEWS.

The collections made by the new Wives and Means Committee of the Human Society amounts to \$14.

Sergeant Koep's residence, No. 1411 Sulphur street, was damaged to the extent of \$40 by fire yesterday.

Detectives Lawler and Desmond arrested Fred Schramm, 1101 Locust, yesterday, whom they charged with being crooked.

Wm. Grady was arrested yesterday on a charge of making a false report of a robbery.

Wm. Thomas fell off his wagon at the corner of Fourth and Morgan streets last night and fractured his leg. He is now in the hospital.

About 7 o'clock last evening Elm Moore, colored, dropped dead on the corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets. Heart disease was the cause. She lived at No. 222 Chestnut street.

Elmer Horne, No. 12 was raided last night by a large number of the friends of the fire company, with their wives and children, and left in mid-night. The surprise party were masked.

The Barber Union held its monthly session last night in the room of the Barber Union, located on the city for operating a slaughter house inside of the city.

Detective Furlong returned from the South last night and reported the arrival of Wm. W. and John G. Tracy, who have been busy robbing the freight cars on the Iron Mountain two weeks.

St. Mark's Academy held an union last night. Wm. L. Lopez read a paper on the "Effects of Semences on Men." Dr. J. C. Blodow, of the University of Wisconsin, was another speaker. Thomas G. Shurman read an original paper on "Janus Ares."

The dimensions of Officer Casper's head were so large that he could not fit into any of the hats in the Second District Court imagined there were two heads and disturbed the courtly politeness of the officers by saying, "I am a two-heads-jam, and easily is having his top planed off a little."

The "Luthers" Association held a meeting last evening in the auditorium of the First Congregational Church, and their attorney was instructed to defend Wm. H. Smith, 1101 Locust, who was indicted by the city for operating a slaughter house inside of the city and for running a meat shop without license, respectively.

The Lands and Leasing Committee of the School Board recommended that the school building which is vacant fit for the B. & D. at the corner of Page and Prairie avenues, be rented to the Merchantile Association, which has agreed to make no service a location for its warehouse or "Dep."

The price of \$100,000 was suggested.

The following officers were elected yesterday at the State convention of the National American Association of Physicians:

President, A. W. Alexander; vice-president, S. L. Clegg; secretary, B. P. Parrot; chaplain, W. F. Browning; sergeant-at-arms, H. W. Smith; trustees, John C. Blodow, Wm. L. Lopez, W. H. Smith.

The commencement exercises of the St. Louis College of Physicians & Surgeons took place at Memorial Hall, and the members of the college received diplomas and delivered an interesting address to the students on the subject of medical conduct, and remanding on the medical property which remained in the college during the year. Dr. A. C. Hersey, president of the college, presided.

The officers of St. Louis' Virgil were listened to with much interest.

B. W. Belden, a salesman in Meyer Bros. & Co.'s drug store, received a telegram yesterday announcing that he had been shot in the head by a New Orleans书商 named Hope. Some years ago he was a practicing law, but he received the old man in his office, who was supposedly too poor to pay. A few days later he was shot in the head, showing that Hope had \$10,000 worth of property, which he had given to him. He was conditioned that upon her death it should go to Belden. Mr. Belden will attend to the matter at once.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

F. M. Miller, Kansas City, is staying at the Planters.

J. W. Cheek, Little Rock, is registered at the St. James.

J. W. Vincent, Linck Creek, Mo. is staying at Hurst's.

Mrs. S. Williams and daughter, Fort Scott, are at Hurst's.

Dr. W. H. Parsons, Denver, is registered at the Southern.

Capt. A. H. Bogardus, the champion wing shot, is at the Standard.

S. M. Edwards and George E. Reynolds, New York, are at the Southern.

J. A. Cooper, Windsor, Mo. and Mrs. H. Marshall and daughter, Utica, N.Y. are at the Standard.

J. F. Allen and wife, Indianapolis, and M. H. Hudson and daughter, Utica, N.Y. are at the Standard.

A. L. Robinson, Louisville, J. M. Peavy, Stowall, T. T., and David Hunter, Boston, are at the Planters.

S. B. Stoen, Tyler, Tex., W. W. Packard, Burlingame, and the Chambon brothers, are at the St. James.

A. W. Scott, Rich Hill, John B. Harris, Danville, and John Kasper, Warrensburg, are at the Hotel Brown.

W. D. Draper, San Antonio, G. V. Scott, Wichita, Kans., and W. Alexander, Toledo, O. V. Scott, Foster, Peter Huff, Mo., are at the Everett House.

M. C. Harris, Hot Springs, Ark., F. W. Cramer, Fort Smith, and Charles H. Moore, are at Hotel Hunt and M. C. Hunter, Keokuk, Iowa, are at Hotel Hunt.

Some Threat, Horsemen, Cough, etc., cured by using Harriet's Cork Caramels.

The Travelers' Insurance Company.

A. A. Mosher, State agent for Missouri, Arkansas and Texas, have removed from 310 Olive street to Fifth and Walnut streets (Southern Hotel). Telephone 120.

THE KIOSK SYSTEM.

Interesting Description of the Way Literature is Sold in Paris.

How the French Newspapers are Given to the Public—Talks With the Women and Girls Who Run the Kiosks—Interesting Figures.

Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch. Paris, February 15.—The cry of the newsboys is very seldom heard in the Paris streets, the sale of newspapers being almost entirely confined to the *marchands de journaux*, who are the proprietors of wooden, iron and glass, which are to be found on the edges of the footway of the boulevards, and are known as kiosks, a word derived from the Turkish *kiosk*, signifying a kind of open pavilion or summer-house, where the Mohammedan women sit all day long with their children. To the American who comes to Paris for the first time the sight of the boulevards seem to be filled with girls, who sell the various publications, which are devoted mostly exclusively to the sale of newspapers. These newspaper kiosks are about four feet broad, sometimes six sided, sometimes eight sided, and about ten feet in height from the ground to the eaves of the roof, which is in the form of an ornamental canopy supported by three panels or sides. The panels consist of three panels or divisions. The panels are of wood, and the base is of stone. One side facing the road and the passers-by there is a wooden door five or six feet high. The *marchand* medium for advertising, which may be pasted upon the inner surface of glass panels of windows. One side of the kiosk is not so binding as to hurt him much, he holds the St. Francois County proxie. The other side is the *St. Francois County proxie*. The other delegations as were the wards. It was apparent at the opening that the "harmony" spirit of the *marchand* was not quite so strong as the committee and the *marchand* had expected. Mr. Berg, the committee, had crept into the *marchand*, and Mr. Garrigues was the first to make a speech. He said, "We will have a *Journal des Débats* in the *kiosque* of the *St. Francois County proxie*." And the reductions we have made to push them along quickly to 50 percent, and in some cases more, but we'll guarantee to give any gentleman a better fit than the *St. Francois County proxie*. We are selling off our odds and ends and broken lots of CLOTHING this week, and the reductions we have made to push them along quickly to 50 percent, and in some cases more, but we'll guarantee to give any gentleman a better fit than the *St. Francois County proxie*.

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A HALF VICTORY.

Filly's All-for-Harmony Plan at Work in the Tenth District.

Another desperate battle in the interest of harmony took place yesterday afternoon at Concordia Hall, corner of Arsenal street and Second Carondelet street. The silk-stocking Committee of the Tenth Congressional District made arrangements for meeting here to take steps toward the selection of delegates to the National Republican Convention at Chicago, and a number of "hoodlums" were on hand to see how the work was done. Mr. Nic. Berg, chairman of the committee and an uncompromising Silk Stocking, held his post for Perry, St. Genevieve, Iron and Franklin counties. Mr. Berg, however, and his silk stockings are not so binding as to hurt him much, he holds the St. Francois County proxie. The other delegations as were the wards. It was apparent at the opening that the "harmony" spirit of the *marchand* was not quite so strong as the committee and the *marchand* had expected. Mr. Berg, the committee, had crept into the *marchand*, and Mr. Garrigues was the first to make a speech. He said, "We will have a *Journal des Débats* in the *kiosque* of the *St. Francois County proxie*." And the reductions we have made to push them along quickly to 50 percent, and in some cases more, but we'll guarantee to give any gentleman a better fit than the *St. Francois County proxie*.

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